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COUNTY TICKET.

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MAJ. JOHN W. GRAHAM,
Of Orange.
COL. JOHN W. CUNNINGHAM,
Of Person.

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FOR TREASURER.
DAVID C. PARKS.
FOR REGISTER.
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THOMAS J. WILSON.

SURVEYOR.
A. M. LEATHERS.
FOR COMMISSIONERS.
James Watson, John F. Lyon,
Nelson P. Hall, D. V. Morrow,
Willie Patterson.

OUR STATE TICKET.

We present the following outline sketch of the candidates selected at the State Convention to fill the State ticket. It will be observed that it is a ticket without a flaw, composed of men of talent, of experience, and above all, of character, without which last, the Democratic party would not expect to succeed, since reform is the demand of our party, and reform can only be demanded as the hands of pure standard bearers. Of Zebulon B. Vance, it seems almost needless to speak. He has been a shining light in our political firmament since in early manhood he rose above the horizon. In that firmament he has shined without paling, the object of unceasing admiration to countless friends, equally the mark of detraction and hatred to numerous enemies. For no man of so pronounced a character can be free from the latter, and all the violence of radical wrath will be opened upon him. But the people at large will remember his distinguished services when Governor before. The enthusiasm that greets his name everywhere shows that whatever of error has been ascribed to him is overshadowed by the recollection of pre-eminent service, of heartfelt interest in the welfare of the people, of stern devotion to the principles of liberty, and of unyielding opposition to all infractions of the Constitution. He will be assailed, but he will come out triumphant.

We are indebted to an exchange for the following sketches of the other candidates, and adopt them as expressing all that it is necessary to say of the present:

The nominee for Lieutenant Governor, Hon. T. J. Jarvis, of Pitt, is well known to the people of North Carolina. Entering public life as a member of the Legislature of 1855 and 1857, he was the foremost of that devoted little band of Conservatives which marched with justice over the interests of the people, and which was enabled finally to check the reckless extravagance and unprecedented corruption with which the Republicans were wasting the substance and bringing debt and dishonor upon the State. For his service there, he was selected Speaker of the House of Representatives at the meeting of the General Assembly in November 1870, and served in that capacity with distinguished ability, commanding himself to both parties by the intelligence, the impartiality and the dispatch with which he discharged the duties of his high trust. Mr. Jarvis is one of the finest speakers in the State, and will add strength to the ticket.

Maj. Joseph A. Engelhardt, the nominee for the office of Secretary of State is well known to all the minutest details as to the political history of the county, well known throughout the State and universally popular, of the finest abilities and attainments, a most indefatigable and successful essayer, a forcible and effective debater, of such vigorous health as to be equal to the task of conquering the entire State.

Thomas B. Knap, Esq., of Wilson, the nominee for Attorney General, is a native of Duplin county, and a descendant of one of the oldest families of that section. He represented his native county in the Legislature of 1866-67, and was regarded as one of the most able and influential men in that body. It was his devotion to his party, added to his character as a gentleman, his ability as a lawyer and his influence as a public speaker, which commended him to the Convention and enabled him to bear off the nomination.

Dr. J. N. Worth, of Randolph, is a member of a family well and favorably known in this State, being a brother of Governor Worth, who filled also with great acceptability, the position of Public Treasurer. Dr. Worth has served the people of Randolph and Moore in the State Senate, and as the chairman of the Finance Committee has shown himself every way fitted for the important responsibilities which will devolve upon him.

The nominee for Auditor, Dr. S. L. Lave, of Haywood, belongs to one of the oldest and most influential families of our

transmontane section. He has served in both branches of the General Assembly with ability and entire satisfaction to his constituents. His name and character and ability add greatly to the strength of the ticket in the section. The unanimity of his nomination was as flattering as it was well deserved.

Mr. J. C. Seashorch, of Johnston, is a native of Wake county, and a member of a large, intelligent and influential family in the central counties of the State. He graduated at Wake Forest College with distinction, and has devoted himself to teaching with marked ability and success. He is greatly respected and beloved in his section, and enjoys a popularity attained by few.

THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE.

It is apparent that Hayes is put before the country as the compromise candidate of the Republican party. It was impossible to settle the difference between those aspirants who had pushed their pretensions beyond the possibility of retreat or compromise. They came there with their claims in their own hands and they pushed them with a vigor and animosity that left no room for friendly agreement. There was only one alternative and that was to fall back upon some one whom each rival could see elevated with more willingness than he could his own and avowed opponent. And so Benjamin B. Hayes was the happy recipient of the honors of the Convention and of the congratulations of the rivals.

Hayes has this advantage, that he will enter upon his work with more or less animosity, all the diverse elements of his party. That party has everything to gain by unity; everything to lose by discord, and therefore it will stand by Hayes as the only rallying point for party salvation. But what will rally his own party to him, will forbid any accessions from the other side. Hayes is a man of negatives. He is without decided principles. He has no strong passions. He has no personal magnetism. He will arouse no enthusiasm, and he will inspire no fears. He stands as a more figure head to fill up the necessary complement of a national ticket, as well filled by the humblest private in the Republican ranks, as by the handsomely elected Governor of Ohio. In a nearly balanced relation of parties, no party is secure of victory unless it can gain something from the other side, and Hayes is not the man to make these gains. In truth, he is put on the defensive from the start. He is the representative of the Republican party with all the sins of the past fifteen years accumulated upon its head, undischarged and unrepented of. So far from being a candidate of reform, he assumes to perpetuate all against which the country is clamorous, all the waste, all the extravagance, all the dishonesty, all the corruption which makes the Republican party so obnoxious to the attacks of the true reformer, and a rallying point in the new nominee of the party, and he stands before the country to invite a continuation of the same principles and practices which have brought it to its present moral and financial depression.

ST. LOUIS CONVENTION.

Before we go to press, the Convention will have been held and probably a choice made, though if the delays of the Cincinnati Convention form a precedent, several days may possibly be consumed in the balloting. There is this difference, however, that in the Democratic Convention, the choice will be narrowed down to a much smaller number than in the Republican Convention, and this further difference, that the aspirants themselves are more modest, and will not force their claims upon the Convention. Therefore a reconciliation of conflicting interests will be more easy.

So close upon the verge of the solution of the uncertainty which has overhung the nomination, it would be idle to venture on prophecy, and vain to express preferences. We can only say in advance, that with the names familiar to the Democratic party, we shall be entirely satisfied with any one who has been named in connection with the nomination, and will enter heartily into the work of making that nomination effective. The country cannot live under its present burdens. No interest can survive the present depression of business. The Republican party holds out no hope. It only aims to perpetuate its power with all its attendant evils. The only hope is in a change of parties, in the election of a Democratic administration.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Convention of the Senatorial District was held at Prospect Hill on Wednesday last. It was amply attended, but there were enough for the transaction of the business before it. The work of the Convention will be seen at our mast head in the nomination of Maj. John W. Graham of Orange and Col. John W. Cunningham of Person as the Senatorial candidates. Two worthier names could not have been presented. Both of them are gentlemen of the highest character, of enlarged views, of wide legislative experience, and both of them are gentlemen fully acquainted with

the wants of the State, and both possessing the capacity to provide funding and influence of character sufficient to carry them through.

The proceedings of the Convention can be found on our mast head.

THE HILLSBORO JOURNAL.

COL. WILLIAM C. CUNNINGHAM.
The Journal Publishing Company announces that they have placed that paper under the sole charge of Col. W. C. Cunningham. This is an act of propriety and sagacity for which the Democratic party of North Carolina will thank them.

The severance of the time honored and copiously approved association of Hillsborough and Seaboard seemed to have disaster to the party, for it seemed to bring less power than that which has been used for good and with a widely extended influence. The succession of Col. Cunningham to the control of the Journal causes the personality of its influence. There is no man now in editorial position in the State with his political information, none more correct in his aim for the best interests of the State and the party, and none that makes a more vigorous, earnest and graceful pen.

We express our hearty delight at the position Col. Cunningham now occupies.

The Richmond Whig says: Hayes not only voted for all the national grants and subsidies brought forward while he was in Congress, but he also voted to increase the pay of Congressmen from \$3,000 to \$5,000 and upon that issue was defeated in 1859 by Rensselaer.

THE DIRTIEST TRICK OF ALL.

The Richmond Whig says: The Colwell cable dispatch, as appears from the telegram originated in this country, in Philadelphia, and was sent to some person in London to be enabled back, under the signature of Joseph (alias) Mr. Knott and Gen. Hinton, and held it back. In the meantime, Blaine came forward in the House, and with a great flourish, charged the committee with having the cable, and having suppressed it. This was the first public announcement of the existence of the cable, and brings it home directly to Mr. Blaine, and proves, if he did not expect the cable, he was privy to its concoction.

And this the action of the man who was confessedly the favorite of the majority of the Republican Convention, and was only defeated of the nomination by trickery! The facts, the whole party seems so thoroughly saturated with fraud that nothing any of them say or do can be trusted without proof.

Very many papers think the Tilden and Hendricks ticket, first suggested by the New York Sun, the very thing. The Buffalo Courier believes a stronger ticket could not be made, since it would harmonize the party East and West and make some certain in the doubtful States. Phila. Times.

All right; still we believe the Whig was the first to suggest that pleasing and powerful combination. But only let it be named and cleared, and we shall not quarrel with the Sun or any other of our contemporaries over the priority of our claim. Phila. Times.

Hayes Nomination by Grant. A telegram from Washington to the Baltimore Gazette says: It has transpired that the Cincinnati Convention was managed entirely in the interest of the nomination of R. B. Hayes with the aid of President Grant and of all the Administration supporters, the object being to perpetuate his Administration both by the character of the man selected for the Cabinet and the character of the political counselors of the Republican President in the event, of course, of Hayes and Wheeler's election.

The Portsmouth Enterprise is opposed to the adoption of the two-third rule. Nearly all the influential papers in the party are now against its enforcement.

Ranger (Mo.) Whig (Rep.): We have no disposition to conceal our regret and disappointment over the result of the Cincinnati Convention.

Newark (N. J.) Journal: His nomination falls flat, taints, lyes. It excites no popular response to the party, and the politicians have hard work to conceal their disgust. Since yesterday's report New Jersey men for St. Louis candidate.

Syracuse (N. Y.) Courier: The nomination of Hayes shows that the rogues and knaves of the party still retain control, and propose to run the country another four years. This ticket is a ticket that will arouse no enthusiasm among the masses of the party. It is a ticket that is doomed to a certain defeat in November next.

New Haven Register: The Republican party has deserted its general—deserted not only the grandest combination of heart, conscience and brain known to the Republican party to-day, as Mr. Ingemoll, of Illinois, characterized Mr. Blaine, but it has deserted every known leader of its party, after the fashion of the Whigs in 1852, and placed itself under the command of the Great Unknown.

Washington, June 20.—The Senate Committee on Finance, have agreed to report favorably on the bill exchanging \$10,000,000 silver for legal tenders.

The bill authorizes the issue of the silver coin now in the Treasury to an amount not

exceeding \$10,000,000, in exchange for an equal amount of legal-tender notes; the latter to be returned only upon the payment of interest of six per cent. of fractional currency, rounded in payment of interest to the nearest cent.

Washington, June 20.—Speaker Kerr has been slowly improving of late, but his physicians have not considered him well enough to leave home. Mr. Kerr thinks he will be well enough in a day or two to go to the country for the quiet and recuperation.

Washington, June 20.—Treasurer New has resigned. Also Solicitor of the Treasury, District Wilson, and Chief Clerk of the Treasury, A. E. Wilson.

Washington, June 20.—Mr. Kerr will spend some time at the Med. Sulphur Springs, Va.

Senator L. A. Merrill, of Maine, is mentioned for Secretary of the Treasury.

London June 20th.—The Standard, a private publication, says great excitement and activity prevail there in consequence of the rumors of the Turkish authorities and a threatened rising of the population. On the 2nd of June the Christians fearing an attack, barricaded their houses, and the foreign residents kept an anxious watch throughout the night. The Turkish army at their complete, organized for internal defense, and sent to their homes Government's formal application for military assistance. The Turkish soldiers have since permanently camped in the public squares.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The University will hold its FRIDAY, JULY 1st and 2nd, on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1st. Faculty, an Optional course of study, a large range of choice. The necessary expenses, exclusive of clothing and traveling, vary from \$100 to \$150 for the session. For Catalogue, etc., apply to KEMP P. BATTLE, President, or GEO. T. WINSTON, Secretary, June 28th, Hillsboro, N. C.

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On Monday July 3rd 1876, I will sell at the Store House and Lot lately occupied by J. R. L. (deceased) the personal property of the late Ralph H. Graves, consisting of Furniture, Liabilities, etc. Terms CASH. Auctioneered by J. W. GRAHAM, Adm'r.

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Administrator's Notice.

HAVING this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of the late Ralph H. Graves, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the said estate to present them duly authenticated within one year from the date, or we will place this notice in law of any recovery from said Administrator of said estate, June 10th 1876.

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